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For: ELASTIC WAVE  
GENERATOR,  
MAGNETOSTRICTION  
OSCILLATOR MOUNTING  
STRUCTURE AND MOUNT-  
ING METHOD



**SUPPLEMENTAL PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D. C. 20231

Dear Sir:

Prior to examination, Applicants request that the referenced patent application be amended as shown below.